

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: George R. Claseman
Assignee: Micrel, Inc.
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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed November 1, 2006, Applicant submits the following remarks.

Remarks begin on page 2 of this paper.